

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of	)	Examiner: Kaveh C. KIANNI
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Naoki HANASHIMA	)	Group Art Unit: 2883
Reio MOCHIDA	)	
	)	Confirmation No.: 8602
Serial No.: 10/810,392	)	
	)	Customer No.: 22430
Filed: March 26, 2004	)	
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Title: <b>OPTICAL WAVEGUIDE AND METHOD</b>	)	
<b>OF FABRICATING THE SAME</b>	)	<b><u>AMENDMENT</u></b>
	)	
Atty. Docket No.: WASH5920	)	

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Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed February 9, 2006, please amend the above application as indicated below.

A complete listing of the **claims** begins on page **2** of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page **6** of this paper.